

Remarks

In the subject Action, the Examiner required Applicants to elect one of three identified species for prosecution on the merits. Applicants hereby elect species 2 (shown in Figure 5).

It is believed that all of the pending claims 1-23 read on the elected species.

Having addressed the issue raised in the subject Action, Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration of the application at this time. As always, the Examiner is welcome to contact the undersigned Applicant at the telephone number set forth below to discuss any issue regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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